BALDWIN ROBERT H B JR

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

BALDWIN ROBERT H B JR			Symbol HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS INC [HPY]					Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify				
C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC., 90 NASSAU			05/11/2013					below) below) Vice Chairman				
STREET												
	(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person							
PRINCETON, NJ 08542								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative)	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	05/11/2013			M	6,500	A	\$ 0 (1)	536,345	D (2)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	05/11/2013			F <u>(1)</u>	3,172	D	\$ 31.34	533,173	D (2)			

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	05/11/2013		M	6,500	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,500	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BALDWIN ROBERT H B JR C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC. 90 NASSAU STREET

Vice Chairman

PRINCETON, NJ 08542

Signatures

/s/ Robert H.B. 05/14/2013 Baldwin, Jr.

**Signature of Reporting Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Each vested restricted stock unit was the economic equivalent of one share of common stock of Heartland Payment Systems, Inc. (the "Issuer"). The reporting person settled the vested restricted stock units for shares of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) The Reporting Person is the direct beneficial owner of 516,508 shares of common stock of the Issuer, excluding 142.92 shares of common stock of the Issuer held in the Issuer's 401(k) plan. The Reporting Person is also the indirect beneficial owner of 91,325 shares of common stock of the Issuer which are held by the Margaret J. Sieck and Whitney H. Baldwin as Trustees for an Indenture created June

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30, 2004. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held in the Indenture, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock.
- On May 11, 2009, the restricted stock units were granted with vesting in four equal installments over a four year period. As of the date of (4) this filing, 26,000 of the restricted stock units have vested and 0 restricted stock units remain unvested. Shares of the Issuer's common stock will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as administratively practicable following the vesting of the restricted stock units.

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